

Major Modification Granted for Gerdau Landfill

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC), Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM), has issued a solid waste disposal facility permit for a major modification to the Gerdau Long Steel North America-Jackson TN Mill Class II landfill. The facility, identified as IDL570000050, is located in Madison County at 801 Gerdau Ameristeel Rd, Jackson, Tennessee.

This permit authorizes construction, operation, and closure of a fully-permitted lateral expansion to the existing disposal facility resulting in 52.1 total acres to be used for the disposal of industrial waste generated from the operation of the Gerdau Ameristeel--Jackson TN steel mill, and/or certain wastes having similar characteristics and approved in writing by TDEC.

DSWM made the draft of this permit available for review during a 45-day public comment period which ended August 5, 2018. A public hearing was also held on July 19, 2018 to receive comments concerning the modifications proposed. DSWM received no oral or written comments during the above mentioned public comment period, including the public hearing.

The final permit is posted online. Visit tn.gov/environment/notices/Gerdau to access the facility information in the Dataviewer. Two locations also have paper copies available for review:

Jackson-Madison County Library
433 E. Lafayette St
Jackson, TN 38301
731-425-8600

TDEC Jackson
Environmental Field Office
1625 Hollywood Drive
Jackson, TN 38305
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